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# HOME OF THE BULLDOGS



### **Upcoming Events!**

Sep. 7th- Labor Day – No School

Sep. 22nd & 23rd - Parent Teacher Conferences

Sep. 25th- No School



## 4 Skills to Increase your Success

#### 1. PAY ATTENTION!

**Do:** Look at the teacher
Listen to what is being said
Think about what is being taught
Work on assignments in class

Don't: Play with your phone

Daydream Socialize with friends (wait until lunch/after school)

#### 2. Minimize Distractions!

If you become distracted in class...

- a) Take 5 deep breaths—If the distractions are frustrating you this will give you time to calm down
- **b)** Sit in a place where you are not close to friends that are likely to distract you

#### 3. Do your Homework!

- a) Set a time each night to work on homework.
- b) Work in a quiet place free from distractions.
- **c)** Start with the hardest assignment first. Take a 15 minute break every hour.
- d) Get help if you need it!

#### 4. Ask Questions!

Ask questions when: You don't understand
You need more information
You want to check if you're doing it right
You want to check if you're doing it wrong

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### Faculty Spotlight



Ms. Anderson is one of the most helpful people at Olympus Jr. High! She has been here for over 25 years! Ms. Anderson, the

Registrar, is originally from Salt Lake. However, she spent some time in California. Hence, her love for the beach. Ms. Anderson has 6 kids and 17 grandchildren, and she loves to read. If you have questions, Ms. Anderson is certainly the one to ask!

## Can YOU solve this problem?

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The first 3 students to correctly solve this problem will receive a prize. Stop by the counseling office to see if you got the answer right!

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